

PATENT



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Bartelmez and Iversen

SERIAL No.: 09/900,115

FILED: July 6, 2001

FOR: **TRANSFORMING GROWTH FACTOR BETA
(TGF- β) BLOCKING AGENT-TREATED STEM CELL
COMPOSITION AND METHOD**

EXAMINER: McGarry, S.

ART UNIT: 1635

CONFIRMATION No.: 5757

Amendment after Allowance Under 37 C.F.R. §1.312

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This amendment is being submitted in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.312.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

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